

## Committed Today for a Better Tomorrow

## LEE COUNTY LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE

## Minutes of June 17, 2015

## Attendees:

Aaron Bullard – Lee County Emergency Services

Ann McMillan – STI Polymer

Bill Rogers – Lee County Emergency Services

David Vann - Coty US LLC

Debbie Bigelow - Static Control

Debbie Hatfield - NC Emergency Management

Don Kovasckitz - Lee County GIS

Donald Wright - SCS

Donna Matthews - City of Sanford

Donnie Tillotson - GPI

Gaynell Lee – Lee County Administration

Heath Cain – Lee County Health Department

Jonathan Kelly - Central Carolina Advanced Life Support

Ken Cotten – Sanford Fire Department

Mike Stephens – Shearon Harris

Mike Tatum – Lee County Emergency Services

Nancy Veroni – Lee County Emergency Services

Pokey Harris - CapRAC

Rich Draskinis - SCS

Roger Millikin – Lee County Emergency Services

Roger Tankersley - Pfizer

Shane Seagroves – Lee County Emergency Services

Shannon Cagle – Lee County Health Department

Terrell Jones – Lee County Health Department

Tim Simmons - Central Carolina Advanced Life Support

Tony Armen – Dixie Pipeline

Yoke Chung – Noble Oil Services

The Lee County Local Emergency Planning Committee met on June 17, 2015 at Lee County Emergency Services, 204 West Courtland Drive, Sanford, NC.

Chairman Roger Tankersley called the meeting to order at 11:30 a.m. with individual introductions following.

A motion was made by Gaynell Lee to accept the meeting minutes, as presented, from the March 11, 2015 meeting; seconded by David Vann; unanimous vote.

A motion was made by Terrell Jones to approve the agenda for June 17, 2015, seconded by Gaynell Lee; unanimous vote.

No one was present to make public comments.

Shannon Cagle provided an SNS update (copy attached).

Shane spoke in reference to a 2015 Tier II Grant Award that was awarded to Lee County Emergency Services from NC Department of Public Safety for \$1104.04. This grant is provided from hazardous materials facility filing fees collected during the 2014 Tier II reporting period. For 2015, the available grant funds are being divided evenly among the state's 89 LEPCs. Shane opened the floor for a group discussion regarding suggestions on how to use the grant funds. One suggestion was to purchase a weather station that would be placed on the network in the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and projected on large screen monitors to include the 911 warning point and other Emergency Services office locations in order to receive live weather feeds. The LEPC was encouraged to submit any additional comments or ideas via email to Nancy.

Shane briefly mentioned the Lee County Emergency Services Annual Hurricane Kickoff held at the McSwain Center on June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015. In addition to the guest presenter, *Response Team 1*, the kickoff included an open discussion in lieu of the Tabletop Exercise.

Chairman Tankersley reminded the group to email <u>Nancy</u> with any topics of interest they may have. He also reported that the Safety Summitt recently held at Pfizer was a success; LEPC attendees of this event attested that they enjoyed the very motivated speaker, Scott Geller.

Shane reported that the Lee County 911 Rollover is to take place next Tuesday. This project has been long awaited and will serve as the backup for the City of Sanford 911 Communications Center.

Lastly, Chairman Tankersley announced that he would be leaving Pfizer at the year-end as well as his position as the LEPC Chairman.

The next meeting date has been pre-scheduled for September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

The meeting adjourned at 12:01 pm.

Attest:

Ylancy Veroni, Secretary